

ABSTRACT

An apparatus and method for loading and enabling firmware software support for an input device coupled to an electronic device if a switch is pressed and held for a predetermined period of time at a time when the electronic device is turned off.

1. A method for loading and enabling firmware software support for an input device coupled to an electronic device, the method comprising: detecting a switch press on the input device; determining whether the switch press is a long press; and if the switch press is a long press, loading and enabling the firmware software support for the input device.